



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: M. MAKUUCHI et al.

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For: A TESTING APPARATUS FOR CONDUCTING A TEST

ON A MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM OR A MAGNETIC HEAD, THROUGH RECORDING TEST DATA ON THE MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM AND

REPRODUCING RECORDED TEST DATA

THEREFROM BY MEANS OF THE MAGNETIC HEAD

(As Amended)

Art Unit: 2862

Examiner: J. Patidar

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 27, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Ex Parte Quayle Action (Paper No. 07082004) dated on July 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.